SHAKAMAK STATE PARK

6265 W. State Rd. 48; Jasonville, IN 47438; (812) 665-2158

<u>Interpretive Naturalist</u>: Cecilia Topp C.I.G.

<u>Assistant Property Manager</u>: Rob Hogg

<u>Property Manager</u>: Paul Sipples

The Nature Center will be open from 12:00pm to 2:00pm Thursday through Sunday.

Thursday, July 3

9:30 am	Seed Safari- Meet at the Campground Gate.	You won't need a camera or a gun,
	just wear long socks and join the fun.	

- 1:00 pm **Park Patch Program-** Join us at the Nature Center and start earning your free Park Patch today!
- 2:30 pm **Masked Bandits-** Join us at the Nature Center to discover fun facts about these little thieves and make your own puppet.

Friday, July 4

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- 3:00 pm **Sssssnakes Alive!-** Slither on down to the Nature Center for a short program and meet some of Shakamak's snakes up close and personal.
- 7:30 pm **Batty Over Bats-** Meet at the West Shelter for a short talk as well as the chance to see some of Indiana's bats in the wild.

Saturday, July 5

- 10:00 am **Nature's Niche-** Does nature have a niche in your world? Meet in front of the Nature Center for a hike to find out.
- 1:00 pm Park Patch Program- Details available at the Nature Center.
- 3:00 pm **Eel of Fortune-** Come down to the Nature Center for a fun game and find out how Shakamak got its name.
- 6:30 pm **Calling all Frogs-** Join us on the Shakamak Pier and discover how to imitate different frog calls.

Sunday, July 6

- 9:30 am **Mine Meander** Meet in front of the Nature Center for a hike and re-discover Shakamak's mining history.
- 11:00 am **Leaves of Three-** Is it *Really* poison ivy? Come to the Nature Center to find out!
- 1:00 pm Park Patch Program- Fun for the whole family!

^{*}Insect repellent and water may be necessary for hiking.

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Thursday, July 10

10:00 am	Habitat Hike- Meet at the Campground Gate and experience the many different
	habitats right outside your campsite!

- 1:00 pm **Park Patch Program-** Join us at the Nature Center and start earning your free Park Patch today!
- 3:00 pm **Tricky Tracks-** Join us at the Nature Center and learn how to become a Nature Detective!

Friday, July 11

- 10:00 am. **Leaf Prints-** Meet at the Nature Center and discover how to make art from nature.
- 1:00 pm **Park Patch Program-** Ask the Naturalist how to earn your patch today!
- 2:30 pm **Story Time-** Come to the Nature Center and enjoy a nature story read by our Naturalist.

Saturday, July 12

- 10:00 am **Roving Interpretation-** Be on the look out for our Naturalist in the Campground and see what she brings with her today.
- 1:00 pm Park Patch Program- Details available at the Nature Center.
- 2:00 pm Nature Center Scavenger Hunt- Come to the Nature Center and test your knowledge of Shakamak State Park in a fun-filled scavenger hunt.
- 4:00 pm **Livin' From the Land-** Meet in front of the Nature Center for this informative hike.

Sunday, July 13

- 9:00 am **Fish'n Mission-** Join us at the Campground Pier and go fishing with our Naturalist!.
- 1:00 pm Park Patch Program- Fun for the whole family!
- 2:30 pm **Tree Spree-** Meet at the Campground Gate and join in a fun-filled scavenger hunt for leaves.

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